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In re Application of:)	
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For: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE)	

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Sir:

RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In an Election/Restriction Requirement dated June 2, 2005 (Paper No. 05312005), the period for response extending through July 2, 2005, the Examiner required an election of single species under 35 U.S.C. § 121 between; Species I, claims 1-9 allegedly drawn to a liquid crystal display device wherein the surface of the array substrate is rubbed in a 315 degree direction and Species II, claims 10-16 allegedly drawn to a liquid crystal display device wherein the surface of the array substrate is rubbed in a 225 degree direction (claims 10-16). The Office Action alleges that no claim currently appeared generic.

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action, Applicants hereby elect Species I (claims 1-9) without traverse.

REMARKS